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We Can Depend On No One But You

	1930-1931	1931-1932	1932-1933	3 Year Decline
Albemarle	$ 4,483.46	$ 3,626.65	$ 3,524.56	$ 958.90
Concord	14,783.64	12,558.48	10,722.04	4,061.60
Fayetteville	10,376.38	7,405.28	6,152.91	4,223.47
Granville	7,722.07	4,283.36	5,390.15	2,331.92
Kings Mt.	5,652.19	4,795..69	4,912.26	740.53
Mecklenburg	20,634.86	17,520.87	15,110.91	5,523.95
Orange	15,176.55	9,741.81	9,389.67	5,786.88
Wilmington	6,566.49	5,652.44	4,558.09	2,008.40
Winston-Salem	9,668.11	8,459.41	7,717.18	1,950.93
Synod	$95,064.35	$74,043.99	$67,477.77	$27,586.58

Some idea of the financial calamities that have overtaken the Orphanage in the past two years might be obtained from the tabulations that appear above. From time to time, articles have appeared in The Messenger recounting the financial distress through which the institution was passing, but these statements might have been forgotten.

The feelings of the authorities here had barely subsided from the distress of a $21,020.38 drop in income, when the report for 1932-1933 showed a further decline of $6,566.20. This brings the grand total of a two-year decrease to $27,586.58. If you are not familiar with what this means, ask any business man in what state his business would be if he had suffered that much of a decline in the operation of a business whose budget was in the neighborhood of $100,000.00. Bankruptcy proceedings would have been long ago instituted, or his business would have gone into a receivership.

Neither of these two things has occurred at the Orphanage. However, it must be stated that the effectiveness of the work has been decidedly curtailed by this amazing slump in receipts from the Presbyterians of the state. If the number of children were reduced to comply with the decreased income, over 100 boys and girls would have been sent out without shelter over their heads. (No child will be discharged unless we are positive that it will be sheltered, clothed and fed and have proper surroundings.)

As a matter of fact, the Orphanage enrollment has decreased only 31 students. The children could not be deliberately sent away without a place to go, and consequently, your officials have endeavored to meet the needs and necessities of the children as best they could. However, only the very necessities have been met.

The situation is acute. It needs no one to tell you this when you read the figures above. The problem also arises as to how we shall answer the several hundred applications that are coming to us. Would you like to have the task of replying to over 450 applications of people whom it was impossible for the Orphanage to accept? Last year, 458 applications were received at Barium, while only 18 children could be accepted! From the present trend of income, not even 18 can be accepted during this year.

The financial report of the Orphanage for the year shows that there are bills payable totaling $16,000.00. At the present time, there are salary checks of over $6,000.00 in our vault, some of which have been pending since last January. Some of our creditors write and ask us what is the matter? Why is it their bill is not paid? Is there some mistake in the bill presented? Our reply must be that there is nothing wrong except that we do not have the money. Our workers come in and ask for their salaries and our reply must be the same. However, we will say for both of these groups that they are friendly and patient with us, but after awhile, their patience is exhausted, and our words of pleading for a continuation of their tolerance reaches a monotony that is both irksome to them, and to us.

You might write and ask what we are going to do about this? The question is, what are YOU going to do about this? This is your Orphanage. The children have been sent to us by you with an unexpressed understanding that you would send us the money with which to properly clothe, feed, and shelter them. Our responsibility is to do this and train these children along the lines of Christian living, which we are endeavoring to do. Your responsibility is to send us the wherewithal to do this. We are doing our level best to meet our obligations, and we plead with you that you meet the obligations which you assumed when these children were sent to the Orphanage.

There are over 76,000 Presbyterians in the Synod of North Carolina. The Orphanage has set as a goal, $1.20 per member a year. This is ten cents per month, or a penny every three days, for every Presbyterian within the Synod. We have carefully checked the receipts from every church, and find that only 37 churches of the 535 in North Carolina have met this quota.

Does this seem too large an amount to ask? Isn't it possible for you to make some slight sacrifice that will enable you to send us ten cents a month? We realize that there are a few churches that will be unable to meet this apportionment, but we do think there are sufficient people of means within the Synod who would more than make up the difference which the smaller groups could not give.

If every Presbyterian resolved in his heart to do his utmost, to give this minimum amount each year, the Orphanage could not only amply care for the children at present entrusted to its care, but could fill the 50 empty beds which at present have no occupants because we do not have the money to accept more children.

The time for New Year resolutions is over four months past, but the time for Church Year resolutions is at hand. Won't you make that resolution? Won't you do your best to carry out that resolution? Don't forget it. Don't forget the children. Don't forget the many others outside the Orphanage who need its protection, its sheltering influence, the chance for them to develop into real Christian citizens.

We are counting on you. The children are counting on you. God is counting on you.

"Giving is living," the angel said,
"To feed the hungry sweet charity's bread."
"And must I keep giving, and giving again?"
My selfish and querulous answer ran.
"Ah! No," said the angel, his look piercing me through,
"Just give till the Master stops giving to you."

Edwin Markham

'33 Class President

Joe Keenan

Entered from Charlotte. He was the baby of Synods Cottage for a time. He's nobody's baby now. He is one of the largest boys in the class, and most popular. He has the honor of being senior class president. He will make his home for a time in Graham.

Graduation Will Be On May 22nd

Eighteen Boys And Girls Close Their Careers at Orphanage

Eighteen boys and girls, some of whom have spent almost their entire lifetime at Barium, will receive their diplomas from the Barium Springs high school at the final graduation exercises here on Monday May 22nd, and will depart soon thereafter to fill whatever niche is awaiting them in life. The division is seven boys and 11 girls.

Final examinations will end at Barium Friday, the 19th. That night, the various grades will open the period of exercises with programs. Sunday morning, May 21st., Rev. J. Oscar Mann, a former Barium student and now pastor of the Purity Presbyterian Church at Chester, S. C., will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. In the evening of the same day, at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. J. L. Parks, pastor of the Spencer Presbyterian Church, will preach the annual sermon to the Young People's Societies.

Class Day exercises are scheduled for Monday Morning, the 22nd. These will be presided over by Joe Keenan, president of the class, who will make remarks appropriate to the occasion, and who will introduce nine other members of the class who have a part on the class-day program.

These include the welcome by Clifton Vann; explanation of the class flower, motto and colors, by Jessie Roper, Marvin Stone and Mildred Thomas, respectively; announcement of the superlative selections by Margaret Stinson; the class prophecy by Lucile Beck; the will, Ruth Shannon; the history, Marguerite Gaskill, and the class poem by Alyce Yarbrough.

The final exercises will be held that night, with Rev. C. E. Raynal, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville, delivering the commencement address. The valedictory and salutatory addresses will be given, medals will be awarded and a Bible presented to each one of the graduates. The final event is the presentation of diplomas.

A summary of the commencement program follows:

Friday, May 19th.

8 p. m. Program by Grades.

Sunday, May 21st.

11 a. m., Baccalaureate Sermon, by Rev. J. Oscar Mann, of Chester, S. C.

7:30 p. m., Sermon to Young People's Societies, by Rev. J. L. Parks, of Spencer.

Monday, May 22nd.

10:30 a. m., Class Day Exercises.

8:00 p. m. Graduation Exercises, Commencement Address to be delivered by Rev. C. E. Raynal, D. D., of Statesville.

Regents Meet at Barium Springs

Board Hears Report--Number of Children Reduced Debt Not Increased

Sixteen of the twenty members of the Board of Regents of the Presbyterian Orphans' Home attended the regular semi-annual meeting of that body here on Tuesday, May 9th. The sessions were presided over by Rev. John R. Hay, of Hickory, vice-president of the board, in the absence of

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Final Tabulation Given This Month On Decrease or Increase In Gifts

Record Shows That 184 Churches In Synod Either Equalled Or Exceeded Amounts Contributed To Orphanage During 1931-1932

ACTUAL EXCESS WAS $5,486.94

However, 320 Churches Failed to Reach Former Year's Mark--Their Total Decline Was $14,314.35

The final tabulation for the year 1932-33, of the increase or decrease in amounts given by the churches in the Synod of North Carolina, as compared with the total that they gave in 1931-32, is being listed in The Messenger this month in a combined form. Since January this has been separated, one tabulation giving the amount that was necessary for the individual church to give to equal its 1931-32 total, and the other was made up of percentages of increase.

It was decided, however, to present the final report as one, listing every church in the Synod of North Carolina which made a gift in 1931-32 or in 1932-33. The tabulation will not be misinterpreted, it is hoped, as it has in the past few months. The left column of figures is the amount the church was shy of the total that it gave last year. The right hand column contains the actual amounts each church gave in excess of its 1931-32 total.

The list contains a total of 500 churches. Four are not recorded because they gave the same amount both years. There are 535 organized churches in North Carolina, which means that 31 of them did not contribute either in 1931-32 or 1932-33. Thirty-nine of the churches of the Synod gave to Barium in 1931-32, but made no contribution this year, which brought the total to 70 churches which made no gift to the Orphanage. This represents 13% of the churches of the Synod.

This latest figure is in contrast to the 48% which were dilinquent when a survey was made last October. At that time, 257 churches had failed to respond, but since then 187 have sent in offerings.

Thus, when the books were finally closed, it was shown that 180 of them had gone beyond the total that they contributed in 1931-32, and that four of them exactly equalled their previous year's total. This leaves 320 churches which failed to measure up to the 1931-32 sum.

The four churches which gave the same amount in both years are LaGrange, in Albemarle Presbytery; Eagle Springs in Fayetteville; Southport in Wilmington, and Pine Ridge in Winston-Salem.

The number of churches in each Presbytery which exceeded their 1931-32 total are 15 in Albemarle; 18 in Concord; 27 in Fayetteville; 15 in Granville; 19 in Kings Mountain; 33 in Mecklenburg; 18 in Orange; 21 in Wilmington, and 18 in Winston-Salem.

The excess amount given by these 180 churches totaled $5,486.94. The amount the other 320 churches are shy is $14,314.35. Had the latter churches been able to send to the Orphanage the difference between this and last year's income, Barium would be in an exceptionally good financial condition for this serious year of financial distress, and officials here would feel that they could proceed with the work on a scale of the past.

Below are the decreases and excesses:

	Decrease From 1931-32	Increase Over 1931-32
ALBEMARLE		
Ahoskie	5.76	
Anderson	8.20	
Bear Grass		2.60
Berea	2.00	
Bethlehem		4.42
Calvary		14.06
Cann Memorial		19.57
Falkland		7.40
Farmville	10.26	
Fountain	5.06	
Goldsboro		324.62
Greenville		15.20
Henderlite Memorial		5.00
Hollywood	.85	
Howard Mem.	122.82	
Kinston	35.31	
Macclesfield	2.35	
Mitchiner Mem.	26.95	
Morton	2.50	
Nahalah	4.00	
New Bern	177.22	
Parmele	5.55	
Pinetops	9.15	
Robinson		3.00
Rocky Mt. 1st.	75.91	
Rocky Mt. 2nd.	2.98	
Runnymeade		23.67
Spring Hill		.58
Snow Hill		5.00
Washington 1st.		58.41
Williamston		9.08
Wilson	84.24	
Wm. & Mary Hart	31.26	
CONCORD		
Back Creek	39.20	
Bayless Mem.	2.49	
Beattie Mem.	.55	
Bethany		4.93
Bethesda	1.84	
Bethpage		18.47
Bridgewater	.20	
Centre	2.48	
Cleveland	18.20	
Clio	11.10	
Clinchfield	1.99	
Concord 1st.	604.35	
Concord Iredell	12.68	
Concord 2nd.	4.70	
Davidson	265.33	
Drusilla	.70	
Elmwood	13.31	
Fairview	11.12	
Fifth Creek	14.38	
Franklin	2.74	
Front Street	48.46	
Gilwood	9.26	
Glen Alpine		1.93
Harmony		3.19
Harrisburg	31.21	
Hickory 1st.		141.71
Kannapolis		56.42
Lenoir		168.31
Little Joe's		10.73
Marion		5.99
Mooresville 1st.	210.57	
Morganton		19.19
Mooresville 2nd.	39.52	
McDowell	.20	
McKinnon	66.23	
Newton	165.66	
New Salem		1.50
Oakdale		4.89
Old Fort	4.01	
Park Place		1.63
Patterson		20.41
Poplar Tent	2.43	
Prospect	70.46	
Quaker Meadow		.74
Rocky River		15.25
Salisbury 1st.	100.52	
Salisbury 2nd.	27.41	
Sevier	11.85	
Shearer	2.05	
Sherrills Ford	10.51	
Shiloh	9.56	
Siloam	1.65	
Spencer	40.53	
Statesville 1st.	627.94	
Stony Point		1.22
Tabor	2.12	
Taylorsville	11.65	
Third Creek	25.74	
Thyatira	17.21	
Unity	32.91	
Waldensian		15.49
FAYETTEVILLE		
Antioch	13.40	
Ashpole		6.12
Barbecue		3.00
Bensalem	19.91	
Benson	7.82	
Bethel	20.95	
Bethesda	171.33	
Big Rockfish	23.13	
Bluff		7.66
Buies Creek	16.96	
Bunnlevel		15.00
Cameron		24.73
Cameron Hill	.26	
Campobellton		4.29
Carthage	35.95	
Charles Mills	.63	
Church-in-Pines	19.29	
Centre	14.00	
Comfort	6.61	

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"I give and bequeath to the REGENTS OF THE ORPHANS' HOME OF THE PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA, *Incorporated Under the Laws of the State of North Carolina,* (HERE NAME THE BEQUEST.)

LOOK UP

"I think God formed the mountains
From out the womb of time,
That they like living fountains
Might refresh with thoughts sublime;
For while we grope in valley mists
A voice our being thrills,
As he bids us lift our weary eyes
To the everlasting hills.

To Moses on Mount Sinai
Jehovah spoke at length,
King David looked unto the hills
From whence came all his strength;
So as we strive in the valleys of life,
In the darkness and solitude,
Let us think of the Master upon the mount,
Preaching the blessed beatitudes.

The tides of life must come and go,
'Tis God's eternal plan,
First the ebb and then the flow
The destiny of man.
Each soul has some Gethsemane,
Doubts and fears our being fills,
Until we see the shining sun,
On God's eternal hills.

—D. P. Allison
Statesville, N. C.

—P. O. H.—

The final report of the year shows that there were over 70 churches in the North Carolina Synod which made no contribution to Barium during 1932-33. With only three exceptions, however, there were churches of a membership of less than 100. Yet, our plan is to have every Presbyterian in North Carolina contributing to Barium, no matter how small the amount, and we truly hope that when 1933-34 ends, individual Presbyterians will see that every church has made some gift.

—P. O. H.—

We are grateful for the many letters and postal cards that we have received from our friends in the Synod, stating that two members of the same family were getting The Messenger. We hope that many others may follow this procedure. Also, if you are personally acquainted with anyone who does not receive The Messenger, but who should have it in their home, notify us. We have had a number of such notifications, and thank the individuals who sent the name or names to us.

—P. O. H.—

A total of 966 organizations in the Synod of North Carolina contributed to Barium during the past year, according to the records at the Orphanage. There were more than this, we know, because some of the Sunday Schools send their gifts in a lump total with that of the church, and many of the Young People's groups do likewise. According to the books, 369 churches made gifts as a church; 277 Sunday Schools; 280 Women's Auxiliaries and 40 Young People's groups. We hope that we can announce next April that over 1000 organizations have sent in gifts.

—P. O. H.—

Congratulations to the final list of 184 churches of the Synod which either equalled or went beyond the total that they gave the previous year. The total of 1931-32 is a poor one with which to make a comparison, because that was the year when the Orphanage receipts catapulted over $21,000. Yet, the fact that these 184 churches measured up to the previous year's mark was greatly encouraging to the officials. We will watch, with interest, during the coming months the progress that each church makes, and next January we intend to start another honor list for the current year.

——P. O. H.——

Mecklenburg Presbyterial, at its meeting in Albemarle last month, again voted to have a "whirlwind" campaign for the Orphanage this summer. We hope that every Presbyterial within the state will follow the plan of last year in raising funds for Barium. The total amount of these special efforts was over $4000 from the nine Presbyterials, and but for the zealous and effective work of our friends in the Auxiliaries our decrease in income this year would have been over $10,000. Income during the summer months is particularly meagre, and the gifts last year reached us at an opportune time.

—P. O. H.—

During the past month the moving pictures which were made of Barium have been shown before the meetings of four Presbyterials, Granville, Orange, Winston-Salem and Concord. We are glad that these were so favorably received. As a result of these visits, a dozen invitations have already been received for showing these films before individual churches during the summer and fall. We will be glad to accept other invitations throughout the Synod, for we feel that the pictures carry a message, and will convey to our people something of the work that is being done at Barium. As stated in last month's issue of The Messenger, not all of the story of the Orphanage is told in these 800 feet of film. It would take twice that amount to give a comprehensive picture of what happens at Barium every day.

—P. O. H.—

During the week from April 25th, through Sunday, April 30th, we had the great pleasure and privilege of having Dr. J. R. McGregor, of Lexington, N. C., conduct a special series of services in Little Joe's Church. Dr. McGregor has visited us a number times. He is a member of our Board of Regents. He has attended our athletic events, but this is the first time he has filled our pulpit. When the week was over, we could hardly give him up. We enjoyed having Dr. McGregor with us. We felt inspired and encouraged by his wonderful gospel messages, and we hope that he can come again.

—P. O. H.—

Clothing Boxes

Aux. Laurel Hill
Betty Pennick Phi. Class, Raleigh 1st.
Ladies' B. C. Dunn S. S.
Aux. Shiloh (F)
Aux. & C. E. Columbus
Sr. Y. P. Fayetteville 1st. S. S.
Aux. Hope Mills
Aux. Chinquapin
Aux. Circle 1 Unity
Aux. Circle 4 Henderson
Aux. Goldsboro 1st.
Berean Phi. Class Mt. Olive S. S.
W. Workers Class Mebane 1st. S. S.
Aux. Circle 1 Burlington 2nd.
Mrs. W. W. Kale's Class Caldwell Mem. S. S.
Aux. Bethesda, Ruffin
Aux. Westminster (W)
Aux. Olney 3 outfits
Aux. Waxhaw
Aux. Vanguard 1st.
Aux. Stanford
Aux. Roanoke Rapids
Aux. Shiloh (F)
Aux. Whiteville 1st.
Aux. Lowell
Mr. & Mrs. R. E. McDowell, Charlotte R. F. D. 3.
Aux. Salisbury 1st. Circle 11
Aunt Fannie's Sunshine Girls, Rosemary S. S.
Euphian Class St. Andrews S. S. (W)
Aux. Covenant (KM)
Aux. Bayless Mem.

Miscellaneous Gifts

Young Girls' Circle, Aux. Myers Park, dresses.
Mrs. Kate Utley, Pri. Dept. Fayetteville 1st., Easter gifts for Baby Cottage.
Miss Lottie Dillon, Aux. Leaksville, candy for Annie Louise Cottage.
Mrs. Irene Basseux, Richmond, Va., socks, shirt, etc.
Aux. Gastonia 1st. by Mrs. Fred Allen, books, magazines, paint, pictures, bed spreads, Victrola records, cretonne, etc.
A Friend, 2½ dozen pair socks.
Aux. Statesville 1st., 33 pints preserves and jellies, 2 quarts fruits.

Miscellaneous Support

OLD YEAR

F. L. Fuller, New York	150.00

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F. P. Tate, Morganton	6.00
A. E. Scharrer, Hickory	5.00
A Friend	5.00
Jas. Sloan, Redlands, Calif.	200.00
A Friend	50.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Henry Hall, Lenoir in lieu flowers Mrs. J. H. Rudisill, Lincolnton	2.00
Miss Elizabeth Houston, Greensboro	5.00
A Friend	10.00
Mrs. W. H. Bowling, Rocky Mt.	2.00
A Smyrna Friend	1.00
A Canton Friend	5.00
GRAND TOTAL	$299.50

Clothing Money

OLD YEAR

Aux. N. Wilkesboro	18.75
Aux. Centre (F)	4.00
Aux. Maxton	44.65
Bus. Girls' Circle, Aux. Roanoke Rapids	10.00
Beg. & Pri. Depts. Washington 1st. S. S.	16.20
Aux. Shiloh (F)	3.00
Aux. Calypso	2.50
Ladies' B. C. Dunn 1st S. S.	2.00
Betty Pennick Phi. Class Raleigh 1st.	3.00
Aux. Roanoke Rapids	3.00
Willing Workers' Class Mebane	2.50
Aux. Circle 1, Burlington 2nd.	3.00
Aux. Goldsboro 1st.	2.50
Aux. Bethesda (Ruffin)	2.60
Aux. Hope Mills	2.00
Berean Phi. Class Mt. Olive	3.00
Good Will B. C. Fayetteville 1st. S. S.	10.00
Aux. Westminster (O)	16.00
Aux. Circle 1, Unity	3.00
Men's B. C. Broadway S. S.	2.00
Friendly Class, Broadway S. S.	2.00
C. E. & Aux. Columbus	1.50
Aux. Vanguard 1st.	2.50
Aux. Westminster (W)	3.00
Aux. Circle 1, Little Joe's	1.50
Mrs. W. W. Kale's Class 1 A Caldwell Mem. S. S.	2.00
Aux. Olney	7.50
Aux. Monroe	11.00
Aunt Fannie's Sunshine Girls, Rosemary S. S.	2.50
Aux. Howard Mem., Mrs. Mabry Hart	5.00
Aux. Howard Mem., Mrs. Geo. Holderness	8.50
Mrs. J. K. Glasgow, Black Mt.	15.00
Clothing Old Year Total	**$251.70**

NEW YEAR

Evening Circle, Mt. Olive Aux.	2.00
Aux. Monroe	19.00
Euphian Class, St. Andrews S. S. (W)	3.00
Aux. Whiteville 1st.	2.00
Aux. Lowell	2.00
Aux. Circle 11, Salisbury 1st.	2.00
Aux. Third Creek	11.00
Aux. Chinquapin	2.00
Aux. Carthage	15.00
Aux. Bayless Mem.	2.60
Aux. Sanford	32.00
Aux. Waxhaw	2.50
Aux. Covenant (KM)	3.00
Aux. Hamlet	15.00
Aux. Clayton	2.50
Rumple B. C. Salisbury 1st. S. S.	3.00
Aux. Fountain	10.00
Aux. St. Andrews (W)	37.50
Aux. Goldsboro	6.00
TOTAL	$141.10

Support Fund

CHURCHES
OLD YEAR

Granville Presbytery, undesignated	81.29
Alamance	5.62
Ashpole	12.25
Back Creek	21.14
Banks	5.00
Bayless Mem.	1.73
Beattie Mem.	3.00
Bessemer	4.36
Bethany (C)	2.24
Bethany (O)	3.89
Bethel (F)	2.29
Bethesda (O)	3.66
Bethpage	14.71
Brainard	5.00
Buffalo (G)	7.50
Cameron	5.00
Cameronian	14.00
Centre (C)	3.14
Chapel Hill	25.00
Charlotte 2nd. Regular	110.00
Charlotte 2nd. Thanksgiving	23.00
Collinstown	.55
Concord 1st.	100.50
Concord 2nd.	6.99
Cooks Mem.	7.60
Covenant (F) Regular	11.16
Covenant (F) Thanksgiving	6.25
Covenant (O)	7.50
Cypress	4.50
Dallas, Little House, Special	4.85
Davidson	30.00
Davidson	93.39
Dundarrach	5.00
Eagle Springs	2.00
Elmwood	.60
Eno	2.87
Fairview	2.63
Fifth Creek	4.46
Franklin	1.20
Front Street	1.87
Gilwood	10.70
Glade Valley	2.12
Glenwood	1.23
Gulf	1.00
Graham	95.35
Greenwood	4.75
Grove (F)	1.00
Harmony (C)	4.68
Harrisburg	2.56
Harrisburg	9.98
Hickory 1st.	49.39
High Point	86.80
Hillsboro	18.06
Jefferson	1.47
Kannapolis	18.31
Leaksville	2.29
Lexington	.95
Lincolnton 1st.	28.00
Little River	2.96
McDowell	.37
McGee	8.75
McPherson	6.75
Madison	17.50
Marion 1st.	3.75
Milton	5.00
Mocksville	1.39
Mooresville 1st.	44.50
Mooresville 1st.	67.19
Mooresville 1st. Thanksgiving	1.00
Mooresville 2nd.	.85
Morganton	8.40
Mt. Vernon Springs	12.75
Newells	1.88
Newton	19.50
North Wilkesboro	11.54
Obids	.90
Old Fort	.23
Paw Creek	36.38
Patterson	2.85
Poplar Tent	.70
Poplar Tent	1.80
Prospect	6.77
Prospect	14.50
Quaker Meadows	.37
Quaker Meadows	3.37
Red House	15.00
Red Springs	23.20
Reidsville	39.33
Rex	5.00
River View	1.90
Rock Branch	11.00
Rockingham	6.50
Rutherfordton	12.64
Salisbury 1st.	47.93
Salisbury 1st.	1.63
Salisbury 2nd.	8.02
Sandy Grove	4.00
Sanford	5.73
Sardis	5.00
Seversville	20.75
Sharon (M)	7.50
Shearer	.31
Shiloh (C)	2.15
Shiloh (F)	5.00
Siloam	2.00
Spencer	1.87
Springwood	2.10
St. Andrews (W)	65.00
St. Andrews (O)	1.50
St. Pauls (M)	13.65
Steele Creek	5.60
Stony Creek	3.00
Sugaw Creek	22.75
Tabor (C)	.41
Taylorsville	2.62
Tenth Avenue	102.00
Thomasville	14.25
Thyatira	20.48
Thyatira	2.00
Unity (C)	.18
Waldensian	5.63
West Avenue	8.70
West Avenue Special	87.50
West Jefferson	2.22
Williams Mem.	5.50
Wilmington 1st.	174.55
Winston-Salem 1st.	255.19

SUNDAY SCHOOLS
OLD YEAR

Alamance	8.65
Albemarle	16.93
Ashpole	2.20
Buffalo (G)	10.20
Calypso	2.25
Cann Mem.	12.00
Charlotte 1st.	126.90
Sr. Dept. Charlotte 2nd. Spe.	10.00
Concord Iredell	2.50
Cornelius	7.50
Ellenboro	6.47
Eno	2.87
Beg. Class Farmville	3.55
Flat Branch	1.23
Greensboro 1st. Loyalty Class	7.00
Greensboro 1st. Mrs. Myers B. C.	52.00
Greensboro 1st. Junior Dept.	11.47
Greensboro 1st. Primary	12.96
Beginners No. 2, Greensboro 1st.	3.38
Greensboro 1st Nursery	3.71
Greensboro 1st. Young Men's Class	.50
Harmony (C)	3.16
Hebron (F)	3.00
Henderson 1st.	14.50
Jacksonville	5.30
Kings Mt. 1st.	17.93
Lillington	5.00
Long Creek	1.10
Lowell	3.20
Lumber Bridge	2.00
Lumberton	26.61
Madison	4.51
Marshville	3.30
Monroe	14.33
North Wilkesboro	18.01
Philadelphia	12.59
Pineville	15.00
Red Springs	4.60
Men's B. C. Rocky Mt. 1st. Feb	4.02
Men's B. C. Rocky Mt. 1st. Mar.	3.35
Rocky River	25.00
Shiloh (F)	2.35
Shiloh (KM)	6.00
Southport	5.00
Spencer	14.00
Washington 1st.	10.00
West End	8.00
Men's B. C. Westminster (M)	13.36
Westminster (M)	6.33
Westminster (M) Lydia B. C.	5.00
Wildwood	12.00

AUXILIARIES
OLD YEAR

Fayetteville Presbyterial Sale of old gold	5.00
Fayetteville Presbyterial	5.00
Mecklenburg Presbyterial Special for debt	3.00
Alamance	6.35
Albemarle	15.00
Bethany (O)	5.20
Broadway	3.07
Buffalo (G)	9.00
Cameron	1.00
Caldwell Mem.	10.00
Cann Mem. Penny-a-day	2.09
Clarkton	6.00
Collinstown	.37
Cooleemee	2.07
Farmville, Penny-a-day	5.00
Geo. W. Lee Mem.	4.00
Greensboro 1st.	20.29
Greenville	16.00
Gulf	3.78
Hopewell (M)	5.00
Hopewell (W)	3.00
Lansing	.95
Lansing	1.00
Madison	.38
Mt. Airy	3.28
Mt. Airy	12.00
N. Wilkesboro	4.44
North Wilkesboro	2.00
Red House	2.00
Reynolda	14.25
Rocky Mt. 1st., Mrs. A. P. Tharpe	10.00
Saluda	4.00
Smithfield	3.50
St. Andrews (O)	2.63
Steele Creek	18.00
Tenth Avenue	26.00
W. Jefferson	.40
Winston-Salem 1st.	18.34

YOUNG PEOPLE
OLD YEAR

Cameronian	2.00
Lumber Bridge	1.00
Queens-Chicora Society	1.15
GRAND TOTAL	**$3155.82**

CHURCHES
NEW YEAR

Albemarle Presbytery, Undesignated	7.61
Bethany (O)	.14
Bethlehem	2.25
Beulahville	2.40
Burlington 1st.	18.09
Burlington 2nd.	1.13
Church by-Side-of-Road	2.18
Clarkton	.95
Covenant (O)	10.00
Cross Roads	1.46
Fairfield	1.50
Farmville	1.00
Graham	2.74
Gulf	.45
Highland	32.83
Immanuel	3.83
Laurel Hill	4.87
Lenoir, A Friend	20.00
Little River	.52
Mebane	5.18
Mt. Olive	7.59
New Hope (O)	2.23
Pike	.23
Rocky Point	1.19
Stanford	1.00
Westminster (O)	13.59
White Hill	.20
White Plains	5.00

SUNDAY SCHOOLS
NEW YEAR

Albemarle	17.42
Belmont	14.84
Bethel (M)	2.68
Chadbourn	2.35
Concord 1st.	65.60
Big Bros. Class Durham 1st.	5.00
Elizabethtown	11.10
Junior Dept. Gastonia 1st	3.80
Junior Dept. Gastonia 1st.	2.11
Godwin	1.00
Harmony (C)	2.21
Harmony (W)	6.00
Huntersville	4.03
Pri. Dept. Immanuel	1.50
Lincolnton	7.14
Little Joe's	2.57
Long Creek	1.50
McPherson	5.92
Marion 1st.	5.35
Morven	12.35
New Bern 1st.	10.43
New Hope (KM)	3.90
Pittsboro	1.46
Raven Rock	1.16
Rockingham	3.48
Rock Branch	28.84
Rocky Mount 1st.	15.71
Rowland	4.94
Rumple B. C. Salisbury 1st.	5.00
W's. B. C. Salisbury 1st.	5.00
Rumple B. C. Salisbury 1st.	5.00
Shiloh (KM)	4.08
Mrs. Choat's Class Steele Creek	5.90
Flora Grady B. C. Tenth Avenue by Miss Cora Richards	8.90
Union (KM)	2.95
Union Mills	2.00
Vanguard 1st. Birthday Off.	3.53
Vass	3.45

AUXILIARIES
NEW YEAR

Asheboro	1.80
Charlotte 1st.	11.25
Covenant (KM)	1.00
Foster Mem.	1.50
Aux. Gastonia 1st.	9.00
Gulf	1.00
High Point 1st.	8.45
Hillsboro	2.00
Little Joe's	30.90
Mt. Holly	4.27
Newell	2.00
Raleigh 1st.	10.00
Reidsville	60.00
Rocky Mt. 1st. Mrs. A. P. Tharpe	10.00
Rocky Mount 1st.	13.00
Rocky Mount 1st. Miss Eubra Morton	10.00
Rocky Mt. 1st.	11.00
Shelby	3.51
Westminster (M)	25.00
Westminster (W)	11.03
Westminster (O)	12.00
William & Mary Hart	3.00

YOUNG PEOPLE
NEW YEAR

Whiteville 1st.	1.00
GRAND TOTAL	**$783.97**

Helen Drye

From Winston-Salem in 1926. The first of a family of four to leave. A popular girl, a good athlete. One who can be counted on to do her part on all occasions.

Mildred Thomas

Almost a native of Barium Springs. The daughter of Postmaster H. L. Thomas. She belongs in the very middle of the Thomas family, and in many Barium activities. Good to look at, and good to be near.

Ray Shaffer

Entered in 1924 from Mint Hill. He is not very large, but always gives a good account of himself. He has made good at everything that he has attempted, and especially good in football. Ray is editor-in-chief of the 1933 Annual. He was put there by the vote and confidence of his classmates.

Margaret Stinson

Daughter of the assistant on the farm, has taken her entire high school studies at Barium. A good student, and most likable person.

Alyce Yarbrough

She was a little girl from Kinston in 1925. She is still a most lovable person, but is not little any more She has been an outstanding athlete, and will be missed. She will make her home in Fayetteville.

Pearl Bostian

From Concord in 1919. Another one who seemed to grow up over night. Barium Springs will not look just the same without Pearl. She has not taken an active part in athletics, but has quite often done the work for an athlete while the athlete was shining on some team.

Lester King

Entered from Charlotte in 1922. He is now the "big boy" of the class. He has been captain of the wrestling and football teams, and he is prominent in basketball and track. A complete athlete and a most likable young man.

Clifton Vann

A resident of Barium for ten years. He entered in '23 from the neighborhood of Mount Olive. Not very large, but active in football, wrestling, and work.

Marion McCall

From Winston-Salem in 1926. An extra good student, good musician, fair athlete, besides being ornamental! She hopes to go to college, but plans are not completed at this time.

Marguerite Gaskill

From Washington in 1928. The last arrival in the class, but not the least popular, by any means. She was little and pale when she came. She is plump and blonde now. She has a fine smile and a determined chin. These will get her somewhere, we feel sure.

Mary Latham West

From Tarboro in 1924, is the last of a family of four. She is not quite as tall as Lee West, but has just the right height. Her surplus energy has gone into music rather than athletics, and she knows what to do with a piano.

Jessie Roper

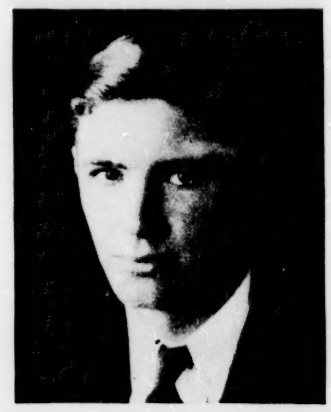
The oldest inhabitant of the class. She entered a few months before Walter Archer. One of the leaders of the class. Dependable, likable, and will be missed. She is the last of a family of three girls.

Marvin Stone

Entered in 1925 from Hickory. The oldest of a family of three. He has been a good student, and interested in track athletics. One of the best high-jumpers at Barium.

Ruth Shannon

From Gastonia in 1924. One of the smallest members of the class, but manages to get a lot of things done, nevertheless. She is a good student, and extra good athlete. Was captain of the 1933 basketball team, and received a number of votes for all-conference guard. Ruth is not only pleasant to be with but she takes a good picture. The reason may be that she is always smiling. We will miss Ruth, but have no fears about her making good.



Walter Archer

Hails from Gilwood Church near Davidson. He is the oldest inhabitant among the boys, entering in 1918. He was just a little boy until a few months ago, when something started him to growing! And now he is something more than six feet. He is a good student, good athlete, and good boy. When our track team went to Rock Hill, Archer took so many events that the students in the Rock Hill school called him "Old Reliable". A pretty good name, at that!

Lucile Beck

From Durham in 1920. The last of a family of five, and the smallest member of the graduating class. Do not make the mistake, however, of trying to run over her. The Becks all have a way of taking care of themselves, and plenty of courage to carry them through any situation. Lucile will make good wherever she goes.

Frank Purdy

Entering in 1924, claims Barium as his home city. Was the 1932 captain of the football team, and a mighty good center. One of the visiting coaches described him as being the best pass receiver that his team had. That every time this visiting team attempted to throw a pass, Purdy would receive it. Frank hopes to go to Davidson, and if he does we will hear more about him in years to come.

Here's Our Graduating Products

Meet the family!

We herewith present with pride, the pictures of the graduating class at Barium Springs. We might call them the out-put of the Orphanage for the school year just closing. We are giving a very brief sketch of each individual. That doesn't begin to tell all of the good points, nor how much we think of them. We are going to miss this fine group of young people in many ways. We will miss them for the work that they did. We will miss their leadership, but more than all else, we will miss their companionship. They hope to find places somewhere among the readers of this paper. We hope you will get to know them, and that they will become as good citizens as they have been students.

We commend them to your love and fellowship. Some of them have been with us a good while. Fifteen years! The shortest period that is listed is five years. Some of them have very dim recollections of any other home but Barium, and were it not for the fact that Barium Springs extends through every Presbyterian Church, and every community in our State, all parts of our family, they would indeed be afraid to venture from this place that has sheltered them through the years.

FINAL TABULATION

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Covenant		24.78
Culdee	28.59	
Cypress	28.30	
Dundarrach	4.00	
Dunn	71.69	
Elise	6.13	
Ephesus	1.00	
Erwin	4.63	
Eureka	6.89	
Fairmont	15.69	
Flat Branch	4.69	
Fayetteville	93.86	
Four Oaks		1.00
Galatia	51.00	
Gibson	7.02	
Grove		1.25
Godwin		5.52
Highland		83.54
Hebron	2.73	
Hope Mills	33.40	
Horseshoe	1.00	
Iona	16.22	
Jackson Springs	6.07	
Lakeview	22.05	
Laurinburg		53.49
Laurel Hill	23.36	
Leaflet		1.70
Lillington		7.81
Lumber Bridge	23.13	
Lumberton	33.94	
Manly	11.87	
Maxton	123.91	
Midway	3.09	
McMillan	2.40	
McPherson		41.71
Mt. Pisgah	8.50	
Mt. Tabor	2.11	
Montpelier	25.62	
Naomi		4.55
Parkton	6.00	
Priest Hill		2.40
Pembroke	8.00	
Philippi		2.50
Philadelphus	6.20	
Pinehurst	22.98	
Providence		3.22
Raeford	127.80	
Raven Rock		17.37
Red Springs	66.39	
Rex	17.51	
Rock Branch	317.19	
Rowland	21.64	
Sandy Grove	6.30	
Sardis	3.40	
Sherwood	9.87	
Shiloh	9.17	
Smyrna		12.47
Spence		1.13
Spies		.46
St. Pauls	88.73	
Summerville	10.00	
Sunnyside		8.11
Union	11.27	
Vass	58.70	
West End	46.01	
Westminster		4.25
Wildwood		2.00

GRANVILLE

Blacknall Mem.		12.21
Brookton		11.78
Community		1.00
Durham 1st.	1.30	
Ernest Myatt		130.88
Fellowship	4.35	
Fairview	7.62	
Fuller Mem.	42.34	
Geneva	1.54	
Goshen	.57	
Grassy Creek	8.18	
Gruver Mem.	1.00	
Hebron	1.31	
Henderson	44.44	
Kenly	2.95	
Littleton	1.94	
Mitchell Chapel		1.00
North Vanguard		20.90
Nut Bush		17.10
Oakland	6.17	
Oak Hill	19.69	
Oxford	13.56	
Progressive	1.04	
Raleigh 1st.		775.24
Roanoke Rapids		27.83
Roxboro	16.16	
Selma		.35
Smithfield	6.63	
Springhill		2.25
St. Andrews		1.77
Trinity Ave.	11.67	
Buffalo Van.	2.46	
Vanguard 1st.	36.13	
Varina	13.35	
Warrenton		35.48
West Raleigh		62.31
White Oak		5.25
Willow Springs	4.65	
Young Mem.	1.55	

KINGS MOUNTAIN

Armstrong Mem.	2.00	
Belmont	170.77	
Bessemer City	4.24	
Bostic		.50
Brittain	15.36	
Castena	5.00	
Cherryville		28.10
Columbus		.56
Covenant	3.13	
Cramerton	186.28	
Dallas	19.92	
Duncans Creek		4.89
Ellenboro		8.11
Forest City		2.95
Gastonia		538.13
Goshen		6.50
Hepsibah	9.00	
Ironton		3.34
Kings Mountain		64.10
Lincolnton	57.55	
Long Creek	8.31	
Lowell		8.49
McPelah	17.22	
Mt. Holly		16.95
New Hope	22.64	
Olney	38.00	
Rutherfordton		11.15
Saluda	6.00	
Shelby	65.68	
Shiloh		5.08
Spindale		4.50
Stanley Creek		6.36
Tryon	4.29	
Union	28.40	
Union Mills		6.11
Unity		4.43
West Avenue		9.78

MECKLENBURG

Albemarle	74.51	
Amity		13.53
Badin	18.59	
Banks		4.00
Bethany	2.19	
Bethel	15.42	
Bethlehem	6.05	
Beulah	2.05	
Biscoe		6.12
Brainard		9.30
Caldwell Mem.	79.19	
Camden		2.00
Cameronian		11.80
Camp Greene	25.30	
Candor	5.00	
Central Steele Creek	4.65	
Charlotte 1st.	562.65	
Charlotte 2nd.	2920.72	
Cooks Mem.	22.56	
Cornelius	2.52	
Ellerbe		5.33
Hamlet	40.14	
Hopewell		1.37
Huntersville	9.48	
Indian Trail	14.00	
Lilesville		2.75
Locust		7.21
Mallard Creek	18.00	
Marks Creek	6.61	
Marshton		1.01
Marshville	2.68	
Matthews		1.94
Mt. Carmel	3.80	
Mt. Gilead		13.62
McGee	47.16	
McLean Mem.		1.20
Midway	5.00	
Monroe		101.52
Morven	30.21	
Mulberry	1.01	
Myers Park	149.34	
Nevin		6.10
Newell		19.51
Norman	2.50	
North Charlotte	15.80	
Norwood	1.90	
Oakboro		2.15
Paw Creek	33.07	
Peachland	4.10	
Pee Dee		5.60
Philadelphia		14.19
Pineville	14.93	
Plaza	39.97	
Pleasant Hill	18.75	
Polkton		1.36
Providence	7.06	
Ramah	20.50	
Roberdell	2.30	
Robinson	40.00	
Rockingham	.89	
Rourks Chapel		1.50
Seversville		2.98
Sharon		25.24
Six Mile Creek	1.75	
Siler		1.50
St. Pauls		49.49
Steele Creek	52.53	
Sugaw Creek		178.95
Tabernacle		4.52
Tenth Avenue		121.67
Thomasboro		8.00
Troy	8.25	
Wadesboro	28.20	
Waxhaw		17.54
West Avenue		20.81
Westminster	19.83	
Williams Mem.	51.50	
Wilmore		2.89

ORANGE

Alamance	85.28	
Asheboro	31.63	
Bessemer	.86	
Bethany	3.00	
Bethel	2.31	
Bethesda	6.99	
Bethlehem		25.41
Broadway	3.32	
Buffalo (G)	31.38	
Buffalo (L)	24.79	
Burlington 1st.	48.43	
Burlington 2nd.	18.79	
Chapel Hill	25.45	
Covenant	195.34	
Church-by-Side-of-Road	4.26	
Cross Roads	4.02	
East Burlington	8.55	
Efland	4.62	
El-Bethel	3.59	
Eno	19.81	
Fairfield		4.67
Farmville	7.00	
Gilead		1.65
Glenwood	26.59	
Graham		230.99
Greensboro 1st.		626.55
Greenwood	4.95	
Griers	2.06	
Goldston		5.55
Gulf	16.41	
Hawfields	42.58	
Haywood	1.85	
High Point	63.50	
Hillsboro	24.31	
Jonesboro	21.44	
Little River	50.77	
Leaksville	8.57	
Madison		1.29
Mebane	130.63	
Midway	2.00	
Milton	4.55	
Mt. Vernon	50.25	
New Hope	7.85	
Piedmont		1.50
Pittsboro	12.10	
Pleasant Grove		1.25
Pocket	5.00	
Red House		1.54
Reidsville	154.57	
River View	7.93	
Salem		.60
Sanford	55.69	
Saxapahaw	11.45	
Shiloh		29.96
Smyrna		2.25
Spray	5.38	
Springwood	.24	
St. Andrews		10.16
Speedwell	2.77	
Stanfield	.75	
Stoneville		10.00
Stony Creek		21.00
Westminster	153.88	
White Hill		7.36
Yanceyville		12.66

WILMINGTON

Acme	5.06	
Antioch	1.50	
Ashewood	12.30	
Beth Carr		.15
Beulahville	5.85	
Black River	18.98	
Bladenboro		.84
Bolton	3.50	
Browns Marsh	2.44	
Burgaw	6.47	
Calypso	2.06	
Caswell	6.00	
Chadbourn		4.22
Chinquapin	3.25	
Clarkton	5.10	
Covenant	231.56	
Croatan		2.56
Currie		.55
Delgado	9.52	
Elizabethtown		36.52
Faison		8.70
George Webb Mem.	1.20	
Graves Mem.	78.39	
Grove		4.00
Hallsville	2.57	
Harmony		4.87
Hebron		8.33
Holly Grove	5.82	
Hopewell	109.30	
Immanuel	50.93	
Jacksonville	4.02	
Kornegay	.90	
Lake Waccamaw	17.45	
Morehead City		.08
Mt. Horeb	1.06	
Mt. Olive	38.21	
Mt. Williams	1.55	
Mt. Zion	24.50	
New Hope	1.70	
Oak Plains		2.83
Pearsall Mem.	12.81	
Pike	.20	
Pink Hill	.63	
Pleasant View	.50	
Rockfish		5.59
Pollocksville		5.20
Rocky Point		.54
Seven Springs	5.00	
Smiths		2.33
South River	5.41	
Stanford	8.06	
St. Andrews	44.94	
Teacheys	2.31	
Topsail		.42
Wallace	9.94	
Warsaw	34.54	
Westminster	2.68	
White Plains	1.00	
Whiteville		14.85
Wildwood	5.90	
Willard		4.70
Wilmington 1st.	397.77	
Winter Park	27.62	
Woodburn		

WINSTON-SALEM

Asbury		1.07
Bixly		6.06
Cooleemee		4.95
Collinstown		.52
Dacotah		2.00
Danbury		10.00
Dan River		4.67
Ebenezer	.08	
Flat Rock	13.85	
Foster Mem.	.73	
Gillespie		2.50
Glade Valley	6.93	
Hills		.98
Jefferson	1.11	
Lansing	7.14	
Laurel Fork		1.25
Geo. W. Lee Mem.	49.45	
Lexington		67.66
Low Gap		1.02
Mocksville	51.53	
Mt. Airy	30.22	
North Wilkesboro	94.46	
Obids	2.06	
Peak Creek	.11	
Pine Hall		2.45
Reynolda	968.23	
Rogers Mem.	11.00	
Shepherd		.84
South Lexington		9.42
Sparta	1.00	
Spruce Pine	1.00	
Thomasville	19.08	
Winston-Salem 1st.		437.10
Wilkesboro		.19
Waughtown	53.55	
West Jefferson	3.04	
Yadkinville	5.35	

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The Tri-State Conference of Orphanage Workers met in Raleigh, April the 25th and 26th. Rev. A. S. Barnes, the Superintendent of the Methodist Orphanage, his staff, and the children of that splendid institution were the hosts, and they were ideal in that capacity. Since the death of Dr. M. L. Kesler, Mr. Barnes is the Dean of North Carolina Orphanage Superintendents.

The meeting was largely attended, the topics discussed seemed to be of universal interest, and the meeting was pronounced by all as one of the most successful and enjoyable of recent times.

Dr. A. T. Jamison's historical notes on the Conference from its beginning were most interesting and instructive.

Thornwell Orphanage, the place where the Tri-State Conference held its first meeting, will be host in 1934, and Dr. A. T. Jamison will be the president. Dr. Jamison is the only surviving charter member of this association, and the only man who has attended every meeting.

Our presiding officer in the 1933 meeting was Mr. O. V. Woosley, superintendent of the Children's Home at Winston-Salem. One of those attending and contributing to the meeting was Rev. Robert Bradshaw, at one time connected with the Children's Home, and now a pastor serving a congregation of which the Methodist Orphanage is a part.

Those attending the Conference from Barium were: Miss Frances Steele, Mr. T. L. O'Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Johnston.

The work on the athletic field near Jennie Gilmer is about completed. We now have a splendid track, 440 yards in length, and also a pretty good baseball diamond. The farm crew of boys and men have worked most faithfully on this job, and by a strange co-incidence, just as they finished it, the land is in shape to plant corn and other summer crops. The alfalfa fields seem to be threatening, also.

So there will not be any gap between work on the athletic field and work in the corn fields.

When jobs like the athletic field are finished, we look back and see that it entailed a lot of work. We always manage to work it in somehow between regular jobs, and are rather proud of the accomplishment. Nobody regrets the hard hours that were put in on the football field and certainly no one regrets the work put in on this new athletic field which will give not only the boys, but the girls, a chance to perform.

Our new baseball diamond is so good that the Troutman team of the Tri-County League will use it this summer for their games. The benefit of the gate receipts, over and above the price of the balls and bats, will go into the Barium Athletic Association.

From what we have seen of the Troutman team, and the loyalty of the Troutman people we have no doubt that this will mean a good boost to our athletic fund. It will also enable us to have a lot of unofficial baseball during the summer, with our boys playing.

—P. O. H.—

HONOR ROLL FOR EIGHTH MONTH

Sixth—Alice Jones, Margaret Willis.

Seventh—Leila Johnston.

Eighth (B)—Billie Martin, Louise Wilson.

Tenth—Myrtle Johnston.

Eleventh—Marion McCall.

MERIT ROLL FOR EIGHTH MONTH

First—Mabel Billings, Paul Burney, Raymond Jessup, John R. Lewis, Tommie Lindsay, Marshall Norris.

Second—Daisy Cayton, Myrtle Mills, Watt Mills, Annie Sue Wilson.

Third—William Billings, Evelyn Billings, Dixon Parrish, Emma Eudy, Flora May Newman, Louise Martin, Russell McKenzie.

Fourth—Agnes Coppedge, Sallie Farmer, Neil McKee, A. G. Norris, Henry Pittman, Gertie Smith.

Fifth—Henri Alessandrini, Bessie Kennedy.

Sixth—Miller Blue, Nelson Farmer, Charles O'Kelley, Mildred Willis.

Seventh—Lucile Burney, Lucy Bryant, Margaret Hendrix, Claibourne Jessup, Frances Lowrance, Jane Lyons, Eugene Shannon, David Spencer.

Eighth (A)—Dewey Barnhill.

Eighth (B)—Bernice Stone.

Ninth—T. L. O'Kelley, Jr., Miriam Sanders, Iris Spencer.

Tenth—Herbert Blue, John Elliott, Morris Freeman, Graham Long, Phyllis Morgan, Bruce Parcell.

Eleventh—Lucile Beck, Ruth Shannon, Mildred Thomas, Mary Latham West.

Post Graduate—James Hannon and James Johnston.

No Rainbow At The End

PRESBYTERY	April RECEIPTS	Amt. R'e'd Per member	Total For Year Per Member	Amt. Due End of 12th Month	
Winston-Salem	$364.49	9 c	195¼c	120c	75¼c ahead
Granville	$99.29	1¾c	99¼c	120c	20¾c behind
Concord	$699.26	6¼c	94 c	120c	26 c behind
Mecklenburg	$854.85	5¼c	93¾c	120c	26¼c behind
Kings Mountain	$84.19	1½c	93 c	120c	27 c behind
Albemarle	$66.01	1¾c	90 c	120c	30 c behind
Orange	$547.21	5 c	85¾c	120c	34¼c behind
Wilmington	$252.10	3¼c	59½c	120c	60½c behind
Fayetteville	$188.39	1¾c	53 c	120c	67 c behind
Total	$3125.57	**4.1 c**	**89.1 c**	**120c**	**30.9 c behind**

We are herewith giving you the final tabulations for the year ending March the 31st, 1933. It is the final wind-up, and with this Table and comment, we bury away the record of receipts for the last year.

We had hoped to receive an average of $1.20 per member. This was a reduction of thirty cents per member from our budget of former years. A reduction of 20 per cent. Only one Presbytery, however, went over this amont, and this was just a habit with that, smallest of Presbyteries.

Granville missed it 20-¾ cents, while the entire Synod missed it 31 cents.

If there were just some way to collect that thirty-one cents, from each member in the Synod, what a different outlook it would make on our financial affairs! It would relieve some situations that are most distressing. However, this tabulation at this time carries its own moral, and we are not attempting to write a sermon on it.

Nobody "Jumps The Gun" In April

PRESBYTERY	April Receipts	Amount Received Per Member	Amount Expected	Amount Behind
Albemarle	$80.78	2 c	10c	8 c
Granville	$117.22	2 c	10c	8 c
Concord	$140.73	1¼c	10c	8¾c
Orange	$149.37	1¼c	10c	8¾c
Kings Mountain	$60.10	1 c	10c	9 c
Fayetteville	$83.01	¾c	10c	9¼c
Wilmington	$59.15	¾c	10c	9¼c
Mecklenburg	$92.11	½c	10c	9½c
Winston-Salem	$1.50	0 c	10c	10 c
Total	$783.97	**1 c**	**10c**	**9 c**

Above we are giving you the Table of Receipts applying on the New year, in the month of April. If we are looking on this Table as a record of a race, we can be sure of one thing: that none of the nine Presbyteries "jumped the gun" in the start. In fact, they all act as though they didn't know the old race was finished, and a new one began because the receipts to apply on the new year from the entire Synod totals only ONE CENT per member and we need TEN CENTS.

We wish it were possible for each Sunday School to start a real contest to see if they couldn't keep the offering up to TEN CENTS per member per month. We believe there would be lots of fun in that Sunday School in doing this, and they would certainly have some enthusiastic side-line rooters in us right here. Some one try it!

In spite of the rather gloomy look of both our Tables of Receipts this year, we are not down-hearted. Maybe our creditors are, but we are facing the future with hope, believing that a brighter day is in front of us. We have many evidences of God's blessings during this past year, and we are looking forward to this new year with hope and confidence.

REGENTS MEET

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K. G. Hudson, president, of Raleigh.

The board listened to reports of Jos. B. Johnston, general manager of the orphanage; Ernest Milton, treasurer; and T. L. O'Kelley, school superintendent. Mr. Johnston reported that the number of children now at Barium had been decreased from 360 a year ago to 318 today. The board had requested a reduction to 300 at their meeting a year ago in keeping with a greatly reduced income from the North Carolina Synod, but the demands have been such, it was pointed out by Mr. Johnston, that it was impossible to reduce it below 318. Other phases of the orphanage situation were discussed informally with the board.

The treasurer's report shows that the general financial situation at the orphanage is virtually the same as it was one year ago, despite a decline of $14,000 in income from all sources. Economic measures imposed at the outset of the fiscal year last May were responsible for the institution being able to "hold its own."

Board members present Tuesday were Mr. Hay, Mrs. S. A. Robinson, Gastonia, secretary; Rev. W. M. Currie, Belmont; Mrs. I. F. Hill, Durham; Mrs. J. E. Driscol and W. B. Bradford, both of Charlotte; Rev. W. M. Baker, Mebape; Rev. Eugene Alexander, Manchester; M. W. Norfleet, Winston-Salem; Mrs. W. E. White, Graham; Rev. R. C. Clontz, Wilmington; Rev. J. R. McGregor, Lexington; Mrs. John Harper, Wilmington; Mrs. H. A. Rouzer, Salisbury; Mrs. L. A. McLaurin, Rowland; and Mrs. J. R. Finley, North Wilkesboro.

—P. O. H.—

BABY COTTAGE

Many of us have received our clothing boxes. You should see all of the pretty things that we got. We want to thank all of the people that make it possible for us to have such nice things.

Some friends from the churches of Cypress and Union sent us some pretty sun bonnet spreads to make our beds look nice. They certainly are appreciated by every one. Also, some friends from a church near Carthage sent some spreads and we appreciate them too. Some pretty blue aprons for the girls were sent in to us recently and we think we look dainty in them. We enjoy wearing them as much as the people enjoyed making them. We thank you very much.

Mr. Johnston requested that all of the cottages give a program each Sunday morning in the dining room, and we had ours one Sunday. It made us so happy to give it because we love to sing and read the Scriptures for other people.

You should see our playground now. It has been improved very much since last year. Mr. Jackins and a few of his boys came over to pull up the stumps for us so that we would not stump our toes.